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2. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

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| Basic Fee | | | | 770 |
| Total Claims | 35 - 20 | = 15 | x 18 | = 270 |
| Independent Claims | 4 - 3 | = 1 | x 86 | = 86 |
| TOTAL | | | | \$1,126 |

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